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CATHODE STRUCTURES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Final Office Action dated January 25, 2007, in the above-identified application be extended for two months. A check in payment of the requisite extension fee of **\$450.00**, and applicants' response (Notice of Appeal) are submitted herewith.

If any additional extension fee is required to prevent abandonment of the application, please charge the amount of such additional fee to Cooper & Dunham LLP, Deposit Account No. 03-3125. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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